

Truman Calls for U.S. Effort to End European Crisis—Never Worse—King

Outlook in Europe Darkening

King Tells Caucus Crisis Is Moving Rapidly to Head

OTTAWA, March 17.—(CP)—Prime Minister Mackenzie King told a Liberal caucus today that the international situation had never been worse.

Before the members adjourned to listen to a broadcast of President Truman's call to universal military training in the United States, they heard the prime minister give what one member called a "postmortem interpretation" of the crisis in Europe.

Without specifically mentioning the prospect of war, King said the crisis might well come to a head in weeks. The Italian elections next month were of the greatest importance.

There was some speculation in parliamentary corridors that if the situation continued to darken it might mean postponement of the August convention of the Liberal party to discuss a successor to Mr. King.

By ROSS MUIR
OTTAWA, March 17.—(CP)—Canadian reaction to President Truman's call to universal military training in the United States.

As Truman Sees Crisis

WASHINGTON, March 17.—(AP)—Highlights from President Truman's foreign policy speech:

There is an increasing threat to the peace of the world. There are those who are striving to maintain a form of government which grants freedom to its citizens.

The troubled world situation is chiefly due to the fact that one country has not only refused to cooperate in the establishment of a just and honorable peace, but—worse than that—has actively sought to prevent it.

Since the close of hostilities, Russia and her agents have destroyed the independence and democratic character of a whole series of countries in Eastern and Central Europe. This ruthless course of action, and the clear desire to extend it to the remaining free countries of Europe, has brought about the critical situation in Europe today.

The free countries of Europe realize that the only way to recover, if it is to succeed, must be afforded some measure of protection against internal and external aggression.

Truman's recommendations, in brief:

1. Speedy congressional action on the European recovery program.

2. Prompt enactment of universal military training legislation.

3. Temporary re-annulment of selective service legislation to keep United States armed forces at their authorized strength.

HE'S A FOINE SON OF OIRELAND

Erin go-bráir! Ireland forever!

What could be more fitting than a St. Patrick's day birth for Mrs. Murphy's baby?

Mrs. Frank Murphy, 1001 8 Ave., presented her husband with a fine baby boy early to day.

The baby's name? Gus!

Warmer Weather Slated for City

Milder weather is forecast for Edmonton region today, bringing to an end the sudden cold snap that settled on the province Monday night.

Winds switched from north to south during the night and temperature is expected to climb to 30 above by mid afternoon today. Still warmer weather is forecast for Friday when winds are expected to move to west.

High at Edmonton Tuesday was eight above and overnight low was zero.

Tuesday's cold snap was experienced in all prairie provinces, and at many points temperatures were considerably lower than here. First effects of the warmer weather are being felt in western section of Alberta.

TAX ON TAX?—NO JUST ON INTEREST

OTTAWA, March 17.—(CP)—Interest paid on the refundable portion of 1942 income now being distributed will be taxable as part of 1948 income, Revenue Minister McLean said Tuesday in the Commons.

The refundable portion itself will not be taxable.

At the same time, Dr. McLean reiterated that he will make a statement shortly on the contentious "net worth" section in the new income tax form for prairie farmers. The matter now is under consideration.

He was replying to F. S. Zaplanta (CCF-Dauphin), who said many western farmers objected to filing that section of the form.

Strange View Of Postal Service

The deputy postmaster general of Canada has written a letter to the *Edmonton Bulletin* giving certain reasons why letter carrier delivery cannot be given to the residents of the Grison Estate area in this city. Every one of those reasons is completely unconvincing.

It is perfectly true, as this official points out, that the sidewalks in this area are not in an ideal condition. It is equally true that the city should remedy this deficiency at once. But, referring to this condition, the deputy postmaster general says this:

"When the service is provided, the incentive for improvement is removed."

Are the people of Canada to understand that the postal system of this country is a paternalistic institution giving or withholding postal services as a reward for civic improvements or as a means of forcing cities to lay sidewalks, etc.?

It was our impression that the postal service was an organization for efficiently delivering mail. But perhaps we were wrong.

At any rate the complaint about the sidewalks in the Grison Estate is definitely overdrawn because the post company and the city deliver utility bills in that area with so little trouble that no one ever hears about it.

Speaking of the cost of postal services, the deputy postmaster general continues:

"We enjoy at this moment a credit balance in this regard."

In other words, the post office department has a surplus. It has plenty of money to hire whatever men may be necessary to service the Grison Estate and its returned soldier residents.

Failure to grant letter carrier delivery to this district on the grounds of expense, then, is obviously not justified.

It seems to be a strange view of the Canadian postal service expressed in this letter when Grison Estate residents, who tramped through the mud of Europe in the recent war are not to get carrier delivery in the heart of a modern city because it is not possible to bring their letters to them on concrete sidewalks.—EDITOR.

P.E.I. Labor Law Said "Retrograde, Stupid"

OTTAWA, March 17.—(CP)—Officials of the Dominion's two major labor organizations Tuesday night denounced as "stupid" and "retrograde" the labor legislation passed Tuesday by Prince Edward Island legislature.

The legislation, requiring all unions in the island province to be autonomous, has affiliation with any national or international labor organization and prohibits closed-shop contracts and provides for arbitration before a strike may be called.

"This is a very stupid piece of legislation," said R. S. Giesler, president of the Canadian Congress of Labor, "who said that it is stupid and absolutely devoid of knowledge of industrial relations would pass such a thing."

J. W. Buckley, secretary-treasurer of the Trades and Labor Congress, said the legislation "takes me completely unaware."

"I never heard of such a retrograde step in my life."

ONLY AUTONOMOUS UNIONS TO FUNCTION

CHARLOTTETOWN, March 17.—(CP)—Only autonomous trade unions will be allowed to function in Prince Edward Island under terms of a new labor law passed Tuesday, after opposition members charged that it was dictatorial and set at a dangerous precedent in Canada.

Section five of the Trade Union Act amendment was a two-hour blast, led by Dr. D. L. Matheson (C-Ed.), who said the legislation would deprive the working man of his rights to organize and was "the first step of a police state."

The amendment provides: "That each trade union in the province be autonomous, that no action or decision of it shall be controlled by any other person or group of persons, that all members of it shall be employees."

The provincial secretary made a grant of a license for the union, for such period as he in his discretion may deem advisable and that no such license may be revoked and cancelled at any time."

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Six Found Dead

WRECKAGE OF AN AIRLINER lost since Saturday was found Tuesday, its last 16 passengers aboard dead.

President Moves To Curb Russia

WASHINGTON, March 17.—(HUP)—Secretary of State George C. Marshall told senators today that the United States must demonstrate its intention "to keep the European world both at peace and free."

WASHINGTON, March 17.—(AP)—President Truman told Congress today the situation in Europe is "critical" and asked a temporary draft law and universal military training.

The president also urged swift congressional action on the Marshall program of economic help for Europe.

Truman went before a joint session of Congress in person to present a grim picture of world affairs and a major report on his foreign policy.

"The recent developments in Europe," he said, "present this nation with the fundamental issues of vital importance."

He pointed then to the just-completed five-power Western European pact for common defence against attack.

Full Support Deserved

"This development deserves our full support. I am confident that the United States will, by appropriate means, extend to the free nations the support which the situation requires."

"I am sure that the determination of the free countries of Europe to protect themselves will be met with the equal determination of the United States on our part to help them to do so."

The plainly speaking of Russia, Truman said:

"The situation in the world today is primarily the result of the great difficulties which follow a natural way. It is chiefly due to the fact that a nation has been refused to co-operate in the establishment of a just and honorable peace, but—worse than that—has actively sought to prevent it."

Must Not Be Confused

He said his recommendations at this time for action represent "the United States will continue to support the United Nations and will try every possible method of reaching international accord."

"At the same time, we must not be confused about the world today."

"The time has come when the free men and women of the world must face the threat to their liberty squarely and courageously."

And developments have reached the point, Truman said, at which America's position should be made unmistakably clear.

He then spoke of the high purpose of the United Nations charter, and added:

"We cannot, however, close our eyes to the harsh fact that the situation in the world today is primarily the result of the great difficulties which follow a natural way. It is chiefly due to the fact that a nation has been refused to co-operate in the establishment of a just and honorable peace, but—worse than that—has actively sought to prevent it."

Only Feasible Means

Universal training is the "only feasible means" of equipping the civilian components of our armed force can be built up to the strength required if we are to be prepared for any emergency.

The ability of the United States to mobilize trained men in large numbers is the key to our security, he said, could head off future conflict and help restore world stability.

Adoption of universal training in the United States would supply "unmistakable evidence to all the world of our determination to back the will to peace with the strength for peace."

Temporary use of the draft, the president said, is needed to keep the armed forces at the proper strength.

Butter Shortage Not Felt in Alta.

There is no butter shortage in Alberta and present acute shortages in eastern Canada cities will likely end with arrival of spring, O. S. Longman, provincial deputy minister of agriculture said Wednesday.

Surplus stocks of Alberta butter are being shipped to British Columbia and therefore not available to relieve shortage in Eastern Canada.

It was reported from Montreal that consumers there are experiencing a butter shortage "unparalleled in the history of the city."

With acreage stocks estimated as being sufficient for only two weeks, it was predicted butter will be virtually non-existent during first 15 days of April.

Auditorium For Edmonton Endorsed by Many Groups

Cultural and business organizations endorsed construction of an auditorium and arts centre in submissions Tuesday to city council's auditorium and arts centre committee.

But community league officials and representatives of agent organizations expressed opinion that construction of community centre should be given priority.

Committee will receive further written submissions from organizations on the proposal before submitting report to parent body.

Mayor Harry Ainlay said plans were for erection of an auditorium to seat between 2,500 and 3,000 persons. Its cost would be approximately \$1,500,000 including the site.

Facilities would be provided for all structures for a great variety of uses, and "jerk crepes" and "summer dresses" were mentioned as examples of the variety of uses.



Shure and She's Irish
"A LITTLE BIT OF HEAVEN fell from out the sky one day" but here's proof all the star-dust sprinkled around didn't go for growing shamrocks. Maureen O'Byrne, 11415 100 avenue prairie even than most colleens, is a wearin' of the green for St. Patrick's day, but mind! She's after havin' her shillelagh! —Photo by Bland.

HUMILIATING, BUT SO INNOCENT

Begorra, But 'Tis True Irish Need Scots' Help

By JACK DE LONG
To print this story on Saint Patrick's Day may be a "dirty Irish trick" but 'tis the shining truth begorra.

Shame of it all is the Irish had to get help from the Scots. Humiliation of the Irish started innocently enough when Irish photographer Eric Bland of the *Bulletin* went hunting for an Irish cologne bottle for a St. Patrick's Day picture.

English-born reporter Jack De Long thought he had a good lead.

It was an Irish lady named McLeish. She had no costume but cheerfully contributed a shillelagh and referred cameramen to an Italian family named Camillo.

The Camillos were hospitable and sympathetic as most Italian people are, but didn't have a costume. They were sure a real Irishman of their acquaintance named Devlin would have one though.

But Devlin has been in Canada many years. The best he could do was produce a pair of genuine Irish togs for handling pest.

Things looked decidedly discouraging but success was nearer than Bland thought.

A Mrs. Cairney at last part of call gladly loaned a fine Irish costume. Although the Irish name, Mrs. Cairney falls from highlands of Scotland.

Perhaps after all the Irish weren't humiliated. Happy end to the quest for cologne costume may be just another instance of "the luck of the Irish."

Geared for Big Effort, Is Word From Flyers

By Stan Mohr
Bulletin Sports Editor

CALGARY, March 17.—"Geared for a real effort," was the word from the Flyers camp today. Players had hit the hay in good time and there wasn't a heavy-lidded pent in the crowd as they contemplated tonight's scheduled WHL playoff duel with Calgary Stampeders in Victoria Arena.

Both Frank Curcio, Flyers mentor, and Jack Arbore, Stampeder quiet-coach, planned to kick in to the lineup of the opening game, won by the Calgarys 4-0. Following tonight's clash the series shifts to Edmonton, where the third and fourth games will be played Thursday and Saturday.

Flyers will hit the rails right after the contest, arriving in Edmonton early Thursday. Stampeder players are not expected to reach the capital city until Thursday afternoon.

Sauley was found guilty in the lower court of theft of \$175 from Nick Holmstrom.

Court of appeal substantiated conviction and confirmed sentence in favor to one decision. Chief Justice Horace Harvey would have dismissed charge because of faulty complaint.

He estimated that in reasons for judgment he was handed down by the court attention would be drawn to the defective charge to enable Sauley to take the case to the supreme court of Canada.

DEATHS RECORDED TODAY

Arndt, Winifred
DeZaver, Mary
Noble, Kenneth Brian
Simons, James Clement
Thomson, George Alexander
Wild, Charlie

Post-Off Ration
DUBLIN, March 17.—(Reuters)—Post, rationed food of the Irish peasant but more or less universally used in Eire during the war when food was scarce, comes off the ration April 1, the Eire government announced last night.

City Lodge Cup Winners

Edmonton Aviation Lodge No. 2 captured Conynbure Cup for best example of lodge ritual at grand lodge session of Knights of Pythias held in Calgary recently.

Winning team from Edmonton was captained by grand representative F. K. Fladager. Others on team were: Al Garraway, king; H. Snowdon, monitor and senator; J. C. Haddow, chancellor; commander and senator; Ken Haddow, prelate and senator; Cliff Anderson, Mel Stewart, Reeves, A. Allerton, R. T. Williams and Dave Landers, senators.

Herald Viter was master of work, W. E. Bryson, master at arms; C. E. West, herald; J. Schram, headman; H. G. Gifford, scribe; J. J. Homer, inner guard; George Lawrence, outer guard and Minnie Brunnell, equire.

Edmonton lodge was awarded 90 per cent in lodge which was under chairmanship of supreme representative S. E. Wood of Inverness.

Trophy has been held in south of province for 25 years. Silk Canadian flag was also presented to Edmonton lodge for membership increases in 1941.

Cup was presented by grand chancellor George W. Anderson of Inverness.

Hard Labor For Stealing

Six months hard labor was given Leo Paul Houtman, 30, for stealing a cup when he appeared in court Wednesday.

He was charged with stealing \$10 money order from an airman, K. A. Hisey.

The money order accepted the special defence offered from a messenger with intentions of giving it to Hisey.

He said temptation overcame him and he cashed it.

RCAF policeman giving particulars said that while in the airforce the accused was convicted three times in a year on their charges.

He has not been discharged from the force.

Group Council Plans Advance

Occupational group council formed of farmers, labor and motor transport association, advanced organizational plans at a recent meeting.

Alberta Farmers' Union, provincial committee of Canadian Congress of Labor and Alberta Provincial Transport Association, have joined in group council for purposes of taking common action on matters of interest to all.

Carl Stimpfe has been named president of council. Jack Hampton is vice-president and Jan Lakeman secretary.

A similar council is functioning in Saskatchewan and it is planned to set up an interprovincial council of three prairie provinces in near future.

Mr. Stimpfe is president of Alberta Farmers' Union.

Next meeting of council will be held on April 12 in City Annex building, 99 street.

Egypt consists of a narrow strip of irrigated land along the 90-mile course of the Nile River, surrounded by desert.

House Highlights

By TED HORTON

A luncheon larked near every pillar in legislative buildings St. Patrick's day and Doctor Robinson had his "bit of a shik" on his desk.

An Irish brewer maybe it was the effect of Tuesday's Fish and Game Association dinner, thickened every tongue.

Such stalwart members as Mike O'Toole, Bill O'Toole, Jack O'Landeroy and Elmer O'Leary, Mr. Patrick's day and Doctor Robinson had his "bit of a shik" on his desk.

During Tuesday's debate Premier Manning round a bit of shik as he accused opposition members of "distorting" government statistics.

On two occasions he rebuked them he said—"I don't mean to be unkind about it, but—"

Anyway, unkind or not—the effect was "abundantly clear" to use another of his expressions, that he was unhappy about the "distortion".

To return to St. Patrick's day—there's something about these national saint's days.

Bill Williams, the Welsh veteran representative did not forget St. David's day—and made reference to it in debate on March 1.

But there are more Irishmen in the house—and on Thursday there was a long set of great sittings in the air when debate warmed up, a dose of St. Patrick's day, a little of St. David's and a little of St. Andrew's.

Estimates are being whittled down with a view to proportion before the end of the year. It is hoped that a few more minor savings will probably have a most salutary effect on the balance of the budget and cool their ardor for their particular cause.

Arctic Trials Satisfactory

Results of the recent sub-zero trials, conducted in Edmonton to determine winter Arctic conditions, have been very satisfactory, said Air Vice Marshal A. L. James.

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Shorter Work Week Principle Is Urged

Organized Labor Presses Dominion Acceptance

Acceptance of principle of 40-hour week for all employed by corporations and undertakings under jurisdiction of Dominion government is asked by organized labor in Canada.

Full recognition of right to organize and bargain collectively through representatives chosen by employees is also urged on federal authorities.

Herbert G. Turner, general secretary of the Canadian Labor Congress, said Dominion government should give attention to memorandum presented Dominion cabinet early in March by Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, containing numerous recommendations.

Mr. Turner urged union members here to study Labor's memorandum.

Memorandum requests establishment of an all-embracing social security program for Canadians on a contributory basis to cover all citizens regardless of income.

Program should be extended, Labor recommends beyond present received and 25 new members were initiated into the union.

Carl Berg, president of Trades and Labor Congress of Canada was also in attendance.

Eight hour day was killed today in a collision of two Wellington bombers in Vancouver.

Johnstone Walker's Daily Store News

The Only Department Store in Edmonton Owned, Controlled and Operated by Edmontonians
Store Hours 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Phone 25161—Ask for Dept.

The Dressmaker Suit Vies With Tailored Styles for Easter!

The Decision Rests With You
24.00 TO 45.00

Like most women you are now planning your Spring and Easter wardrobe. And, of course, your No. 1 choice is the "dressmaker suit". The versatile dressmaker type vies with tailored styles and as both have high-fashion rating, the final decision rests with you.

• Skirts are brief and medium lengths with several different type collars or collars.

• Jackets are slender and have open vents... from pleats or plain gored.

• Fashioned from fine wool crepes, flannels and striped worsteds.

• Shown in red, powder blue, Kelly green, gold, beige, grey and black with white hairline stripes. Sizes 12 to 40. 14 to 24 1/2. Priced at— 25.00 to 45.00

New Gerhard Kennedy SPORT BLOUSES

Tailored of "Cohama Fabric"
Judge the smartness of these new Gerhards Kennedy Sport Blouses by your artist's sketch. Note the new styling of collar which may be worn buttoned up or opened... long cuffed sleeves and service pocket.

Tailored of lovely soft Cohama fabric with lovely contrasting designs and colors. Gold, green, tan and black. Sizes 12 to 20.

Priced at 3.95

The Short Jacketed Ballerina Suit Is a Smart Easter Fashion

Fine Wools in Many Shades and Black

This type of suit with its nipped-in jacket and wringing ballerina skirt serves as a two-piece frock and waist with a shortie coatless no bounds!

• Style illustrated features a brief jacket, fastening with four covered buttons and two-tiered suggestive pockets.

• Plaid of ballerina skirt with fitted top and pleaty swirl on the hemline.

• Fashioned of fine wool in grey, silver, olive, champagne blue, moss green and black. Sizes 12 to 16.

• Other Ballerina Suits of alpaca twill in wine, taupe, apricot green, powder blue, royal and grey. Sizes 12 to 16. Priced at— 15.95

Women's Semi-Service Weight RAYON STOCKINGS

An excellent quality semi-service Rayon Stocking... full fashioned... Shows in a spiky greyish brown shade... as white for nurses! Priced at 1.15

Women's Fabric Gloves

Smart pull-on style with bound tops... inside seams. Made of washable fabric in white, tan and beige. Sizes 6 to 7 1/2. Priced at 1.25

New Printed Silk Crepes For Spring and Summer Dresses

Lovely new soft finished crepes in small, medium and large floral and novelty designs on blue, grey, olive, grey, yellow, navy and black grounds. 38 inches wide. Priced at 1.98

(Daylight Floor Goods Dept., Third Floor)

JOHNSTONE WALKER

MLAs Eat Elk, Wild Goose

Members of Alberta legislature were treated to a wild goose and barbecued elk dinner Tuesday by Alberta Fish and Game Association.

It was the fourth annual dinner for Alberta M.L.A.'s held in Macdonald hotel.

Main speaker was George E. Watt, president of Alberta Fish and Game Association, who outlined fish and game conditions in the province. He especially mentioned decrease of pheasant population in Alberta.

He also said the association was pleased to see greater interest being taken in Alberta fish and game by the government.

Pictures of wild life were shown by William C. Fisher, Calgary, of Ducks Unlimited.

Life membership was presented to Wallace F. H. Maxon, of Edmonton, for 30 years of work in connection with game conservation.

Compensation Act Handling Scored

Governing handling of Workmen's Compensation Act was scored Monday by Alberta Occupational Group Council.

J. Lakeman, secretary, in a statement today said "The government, while refusing to utilize existing surplus of 1942-43 to provide for the injured workers and their dependants is preparing the way to reduce substantially the Alberta monopoly industries."

"Any reduction of assessments to these concerns," he continued, "will never reflect to the benefit of the Alberta people."

Meeting was attended by representatives of Alberta Farmers' Union, Canadian Congress of Labor and Alberta Motor Transport Association.

Accountants Change Name of Society

Name of Society of Industrial Accountants will be changed to Society of Industrial and Cost Accountants under terms of legislation reviewed by legislative committee in private bills. Wednesday. No objection to the proposed change was voiced. Bill is sponsored by R. M. Baker (S.C. Edmonton).

One Day Clinic In Dental Methods

One day clinic in dental methods was held in the Macdonald hotel Monday.

Dr. L. Jacobson, New Westminster, instructed nearly 100 dentists of Edmonton district at clinic which was sponsored by Edmonton and District Dental Association.

Water Safety Program Brought to Edmonton

Swimming and Water Safety Program and Divisional Aquatic School of Canadian Red Cross Society will be held in Edmonton March 20 to April 3.

W. M. Risdon-Bennett, provincial director for swimming and water safety of CRCS, has announced the program for the school.

Instruction will be given in all aquatic fields, including safe handling of boats, instructional techniques, water front control, supervision and life saving.

"It is our aim to bring this free service to all communities where there is even the smallest danger of death by drowning," declared Risdon-Bennett.

BIG GLASS EXPECTED

Seventy-five entrepreneurs have been received for a class which is hoped to reach 150.

"We urge communities to take advantage of this free leadership training service," the director continued.

Information may be obtained from local Red Cross branches or Red Cross Headquarters in Calgary.

PLENTY OF "STRIKES" NOBODY COUNTED OUT

A special constable was struck in one of four cases of assault investigated by city police Tuesday.

The constable was struck when he attempted to remove a man from Edelweiss hall.

Allan Russell, 9715 73rd avenue, told police youths who were spitting from a gondola in the Arena struck him with a bottle when he attempted to stop them.

He suffered cuts.

A city woman reported a man struck her when she ordered him out of her room.

An argument over ownership of tools brought two former business partners to blows.

No charges were laid in any of the four cases.

Money Returning Now But Payable March 31

Just in nice time to help pay more income taxes a \$93,700,000 deluge of cheques is on its way to Canadians.

Post offices have begun to redistribute that much to individuals and corporations as refundable portion of their 1942 income taxes.

They will handle as many cheques as they can daily until the end of the month. Then it will all be over.

Refundable portions of 1942 and 1943 taxes will go out in 1943 and 1950, respectively.

In the common at Ottawa yesterday, Revenue Minister McCreery said interest paid on refundable portion would be taxable as part of 1948 income but the portions themselves would not be.

Of the \$93,700,000 going to individuals, \$1,162,534 is interest.

First batch of cheques for Edmontonians went out in Tuesday's mail.

But, there's just one catch. They're all paid dated to March 31. Income tax department officials said today most cheques for refundable portion of 1942 income tax in Edmonton area will be mailed "within the next few days."

Cheques will not necessarily be sent out in alphabetical order, they said.

Regulations state all cheques must be mailed by March 31.

5 Cases Diphtheria City and District

Five cases of diphtheria were reported recently from provincial department of health, Wednesday.

One case is of a four-year-old girl living on 154 street in Edmonton, who is now in isolation hospital. Other cases are all from Bonnyville district.

A mother and two children in one Bonnyville district family and a child from another family in the area are reported to be victims of the disease.

A. C. Erickson Heads LOOF Chapter

CALGARY, March 17.—(CP)—A. C. Erickson, of Minnerville, Tuesday was elected grand master of the Grand Black chapter of Alberta (LOOF) according to W. Willis F. Ploymann of Red Deer was named treasurer. About 40 members from all sections of Alberta attended the 30th annual session of the chapter.

CADET BONUS IS INCREASED

Royal Canadian Air Cadet signalling bonuses have been increased. Every headquarters announced today the standards of qualification for signalling bonuses have also been raised.

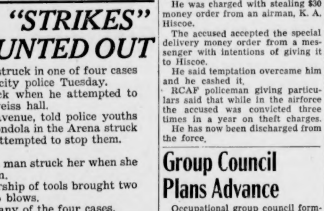
Bonus for cadet more signalling certificate signalling certificate has been raised to \$10 from \$5. Signalling certificate will carry a bonus of \$10.

Observatory Open

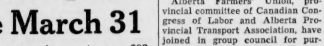
University observatory will be open to the public at 8:30 p.m. to 10 p.m. to view moon and planets. Dr. W. Campbell has announced.



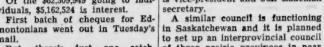
BEAMING FACES were the order of the day at University hospital Tuesday when representatives of the Y's Mens Club spread joy through the ward with toys and goodies. Bud Banks, radio auctioneer, (left) and Max Dewar, city architect, are shown with two of the kiddies, Kenny Kirsh and Josie Yasinaky.



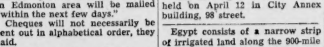
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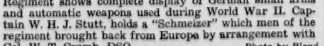
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Waning Faith in Public Men

Senator J. W. de B. Farris of Vancouver touches upon one of the crying social evils of the day when he proposes to speak in the Canadian senate on the "unjustifiable attacks on the integrity of men in high office."

There is absolutely nothing in the entire fabric of our society more inimical to good government and social progress than the blatant cynicism with which we have come to regard the leaders of the nation.

Whenever a man of good sound honesty and sincerity of purpose offers himself for public office, he is immediately tagged by his polli as a self-seeker and probably a crook.

All leaders of political parties, the cynics say, are not only incompetent but greedy for power. The man in the street stands around and marvels at their stupidity. Just as the roach stows in the corner grocery store used to be the centre of

political sagacity, so does almost any dinner table witness more subtle coups of high statecraft than any session of parliament in Ottawa.

This growing cynicism is a malignant growth in the side of democracy. It is not only destroying the public faith in our form of government, but it is destroying the public's faith in itself.

It is probably true that a few incompetent and dishonest men do get into politics. It would be a miracle if they didn't. But if you run down the record very carefully, you will be astonished to discover how very many splendid citizens of all parties are active in public life, and how many of them serve the public at considerable loss and inconvenience to themselves.

The truth that the Canadian people must begin to realize is that a man can hold views contrary to the only view without being a scoundrel and a fool.

Free Speech on the Air

The Canadian Association of Broadcasters is walking on dangerous ground when it demands that known "leftists" be denied speaking time on all Canadian radio stations.

Freedom the standpoint of enlightenment and entertainment it would probably be an excellent thing if all propagandists were banned from the air. The dismal exposition of a multiplicity of views, political and otherwise, creates in the listener an unfortunate habit of reaching for the cut-throat and all radio suffers from that habit is established.

But in the very tradition of fair play, which is said, with some truth, to be fundamental in the British people, it is impossible to discriminate between two shades of political opinion and another. If radio is to be established.

The Klan Rides Again

The Ku Klux Klan, with all its intolerance and violence, is on the warpath again in the American South and the newspapers of Georgia, it is reported, are united in an attempt to censor the paper.

Like some other organizations, the Ku Klux Klan was conceived as a benevolent movement and was degraded by self-seeking exploiters into an instrument of cruelty and tyranny.

Even the Italian Mafia, the notorious Black Hand, started out in a kindly and useful way. Organized originally in Sicily about the year 1800, it was intended to afford protection to girls and young women who, at that time, were frequently insulted and molested on the streets.

Certainly, many young men from Rome, however, saw the chance for financial gain. They got control of the Mafia and did some racket, levying a toll on merchants and businessmen. Eventually, through its members who went abroad, it sired most

to air any propaganda at all, it must air all legal kinds of propaganda.

The Canadian Association of Broadcasters takes the position that the Communists and near-Communists are out to destroy the freedom of speech in the democracy of this country. That is probably true. But they forget that when they deny radio speaking time to anybody with an idea, no matter how repugnant it is, they themselves are striking a pretty substantial blow at the freedom of speech.

Until Communism and membership in Communist parties and organizations are made illegal in Canada, even the most fanatic of the "leftists" are entitled to be heard.

Canada, for safety's sake, must have some kind of a Hyde Park.

An Unfair Method

The present method of computing the income in tips of bellboys, waiters, taxi drivers and others who receive gratuities from the public would raise a considerable volume of protest if it were applied to the income tax imposed on all classes of the community.

At present, the income tax department makes a survey of any given district in the matter of tips and then strikes an average and assesses the income of tip-recipients accordingly.

It is said that the method is entirely legal.

Pacifists Appear Again

The Ohio widow who refuses to pay more than 65.4 of her income tax because, as she figures, the other 34.6 percent goes for war preparations takes a stand that does very great honor to her heart but very little to her head.

It is very true, as the pacifists contend, that if all the common people over all the world refused to pay for armaments and armies there could be no war.

It is equally true that if all the com-

mon people except those of one little nation, refused to pay for armaments and armies, that one little nation could and probably would conquer the world.

The noble impulses of pacifists have effect and meaning only when they are unanimous throughout all countries.

We suspect that any impulse of the kind among Russian taxpayers, for instance, would receive a somewhat sharper rebuke than doubtless will be handed out to this Ohio woman.

From the Files

LOOKING BACKWARD

1888-60 Years Ago

Joe Chamberlain has given a dinner by the Canadian Club of New York.

Michael, David visited that 600 inhabitants of the Aran Islands on the west coast of Ireland are utterly destitute and will die unless food is sent them.

Inspector Morris has taken command at Onion Lake.

1908-40 Years Ago

The real estate agents have no complaints against the competition of the caribou broker, or unlicensed persons who make sales of real estate. Judge Taylor in district court yesterday held that the by-law licensing real estate agents in the city was for the purpose of regulating the business.

1918-30 Years Ago

As a result of the drought brought down in the legislature fixes a minimum salary of \$70 per month for elementary teachers.

The Board of Trade is reviewing the question of reducing strikes in city business houses to release men for farm work.

1928-20 Years Ago

Hope has been abandoned for the safety of Captain Hinchliffe and Hon. Elsie Mackay, who left the town by train yesterday.

Prorogation of the legislature has been postponed. It is believed that the legislature will be reconvened in the fall. The legislature will be reconvened in the fall.

homeless, while 250 bodies have been recovered and 300 persons are missing.

1938-10 Years Ago

Paris, France and Russia agreed both would fight to defeat the Czechoslovakia if it is attacked.

The provincial legislature has passed a motion approving the principle of road construction by the province.

Premier Abernethy announced the new Social Credit Act will be introduced in the legislature.

Alberta has received a \$200,000 loan from the Dominion. The loan is for relief in drought areas.

THE UNSEEN AUDIENCE

By Webster

OUR TOWN

By Jack Scott

THROUGH THE MIRROR OF TELEVISION WE CAN SEE THE FIFTY CENT PACKAGE AND THE LARGE, ECONOMY SIZE, FOR ONLY SEVENTY EIGHT CENTS.

MY, WHAT A WONDERFUL AGE WE'RE LIVING IN! I SIMPLY CAN'T BELIEVE THAT THEY CAN SELL THAT HUGE PACKAGE OF DOG BISCUITS FOR SEVENTY EIGHT CENTS. WILL WONDERS NEVER CEASE?



SCIENCE MARCHES ON

The Readers' Space

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Teachers' Salaries

Editor, Bulletin—In your editorial "Better Use for Our Money," you make the following statement: "The average salary paid school teachers in Alberta is \$2,000 a year." That figure was correct; however, a statement given to me just a few days ago by the Department of Education shows that the average salary paid to teachers in urban schools is \$1,800.41; in divisions it is \$1,470.33; while the average for all schools is \$1,822.62.

According to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, and using 1939 as a base, the cost of living has risen more than 50 per cent. The average salary of urban teachers (who you probably had in mind) has risen from \$1,843.60 to \$1,800.41, or 33 per cent. It is therefore painfully obvious that teachers are relatively much worse off than they were nine years ago.

J. P. PAGE, Legislative Assembly.

Fifth Column

Editor, Bulletin—"The handling of the wall is as clear as it was in 1938. We were with Russia. Canada has no need of a battlefield but we may not always be so fortunate."

The downfall of many columns was aided by fifth columns. Such a fifth column exists in Canada today. Its members are not in Russia, but they hold many key positions and they hold many in our midst who unwittingly support the fifth column, the people who, in their blind search for a Utopia, fall prey to the Communist teaching, let me say this if Russian soldiers ever march through Edmonton streets, the blame will rest heavily on your shoulders.

S. P. O., Vancouver

All Respectable

Editor Bulletin—It seems to me that Mr. Williams would be well advised to know what he is talking about before he goes out of the way to insult people who he should be trying to help instead of making life harder for them.

Instead of helping the people who can find no other accommodation in the city, due to the fact that without exception they were in the service, Mr. Williams can find no other occupation for his talents than to pick out one address and insinuate that the people living there are "and he

makes no exceptions" addicted to excessive drinking. And in a melodramatic aside he promises to show "unimpeachable" that Mr. Williams might be able to do it—I wouldn't know—I only live here. Doubtless, if that is his choice of company, he could find them in any district in the city. However, those are not the type I usually choose to affiliate with.

If Mr. Williams will come down to the despised slums, I will introduce him to a lot of people—veterans, or veteran's wives or children—who, on the whole, are not worse than any cross-section of Edmonton.

Some of them are active in church work, some of them are non-drinkers. Some of them are moderate drinkers. And all of them are honest people, paying their own way and minding their own business—an example that Mr. Williams would be well advised to follow.

Oliver A. Henry, C. R. 960, Edmonton. J. M. Carter, Mrs. P. C. Poccia, Mrs. Barrie Johnson, Mr. Blair, H. D. Cameron, V. E. Nettie, W. J. Winnifred, V. E. Nettie, D. Cameron, V. E. Nettie, W. J. Winnifred, 1060 109 St.

Privileged Few

Editor, Bulletin—I am not anxious to get my name in the paper even as a letter writer. I will say by just stating this fact.

Coming a stranger to this city about 15 months ago, I found Edmonton to possess the most friendly people; this friendliness is natural and not artificial.

I noticed there were two main large newspapers almost identical in making the cause of the Jew a friendly people; this friendliness is natural and not artificial.

A few months ago The Bulletin carried an editorial on the subject of a declaration, if I remember correctly, in which it was going to be a "friendly" paper. It is now going to be "Equal rights" and "Equal privileges" and "Equal lines" among the striking elements were reiteration, which act is to be commended for sure. But sorry to say the writer's doubts have now come true, after reading editorial of March 11th entitled, "Assets or Political Football?"

This sure proves beyond doubt that The Bulletin is nothing more than a tool for the Jew.

It becomes increasingly clear that top policymakers in Washington and London are having in turning the proposed European "Western Union" and the "United Nations" into a Western European - American military alliance.

This would, in my opinion, be a disaster to the world.

All military alliances are made for war. The object of this work is to provide a complete survey of the possible military and strategic advantages of the proposed military alliance.

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THAT'S THE WAY IT GOES. REMEMBER BILL FORDYCE? WENT INTO THE HOSPITAL ON A WEDNESDAY. JUST A LITTLE PAIN IN THE STOMACH. BOOM! THURSDAY THEY WERE MEASURING HIM FOR A WILL WOUND UNDERWEAR.

Then there was poor old Frank Albright. Remember old Frank Albright. Remember old Frank Albright. Remember old Frank Albright. Remember old Frank Albright.

Nothing but a little stomach trouble. That's what he was. And, man, the agonies that poor fellow went through. Always just a little pain in the stomach. He passed away when he did.

... eh? Rather talk about something else. Alex, well, sure, Alex. If you say so. But it follows in your spot once to know what may happen to him.

Quite a layout you've got here. All the comforts of home. Man, feel those springs. Oh, yes, I'm sorry, Alex. Your stitches? Well, that'd be a hot job, job, job, job. I'll be coming in here to cheer you up and then putting you down to the blins. Still, you know, it is painful when they take those stitches out.

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How Not to Cheer Poor Patient Up

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Voting Reforms Sought in U.S.

Democrat Wants Presidents Elected by Popular Vote

WASHINGTON, March 17.—(CP)—A Texas Democrat set out Tuesday to change the entire electoral system which gives the United States its presidents. He wants them elected by popular vote.

If the American voter thinks that when he casts a ballot for his choice for the presidency he's voting for his man, he's wrong. He's voting for an elector who will vote for him. That's the electoral college system. Representative Ed Gossett wants to change all that. And he got a powerful boost yesterday from the Judiciary committee of the House of Representatives which approved his bill. It yet has to run the remainder of the congressional gauntlet.

AMENDMENT PROPOSED

Gossett proposes an amendment to the American constitution which would retain the electoral college of 531 electors. But each state's electoral vote for president and vice-president would be divided in proportion to the popular vote in the state.

The way it is now, all of a state's electoral votes go to the candidate receiving the greatest number of popular votes. Occasionally, a president gets in without a majority of the countrywide popular vote.

Gossett's proposed constitutional amendment requires a two-thirds vote in House and Senate and ratification by 36 of the 48 state legislatures. Its adoption before the 1948 election in November is virtually impossible.

Action Threatened Against Douglas

REGINA, March 17.—(CP)—Peter S. Dets, managing director of Acme Dye and Chemicals Ltd., said Tuesday that Premier T. C. Douglas and Provincial Treasurer C. N. Fries would get a "quick chance to prove their charges in a court of law" if they would make "definite charges of either fraud or wrongdoing against me" outside the legislature.

Mr. Douglas and Mr. Fries both have said in the legislature that the former Liberal government bought supplies from the company at higher prices than was necessary and the premier said the firm was a dummy whose aim was to bolster Liberal party funds at public expense.

"If either the provincial treasurer or the premier have not the courage to take legal responsibility for their charges, then they are cowards," Mr. Dets said.

Mr. Fries said Tuesday the government did not plan an investigation into the sales as no request for one had been received from the opposition.

ONE DISCHARGED, SIX SUSPENDED IN TAX OFFICE

OTTAWA, March 17.—(CP)—Revenue department officials Tuesday disclosed an investigation of the income tax office at Hamilton, resulting in the discharge of one woman and the suspension yesterday of six of her staff members.

The official said the investigation was launched about three weeks ago when it was found that a woman was using her office position in an "irregular way."

An immediate probe by intelligence officers followed and it was found that six other persons in the office may have colluded with Hamilton taxpayers in the falsification of returns or in the falsification of their own returns and have been suspended pending further investigation.

'Local Option' Bill On Rents Approved

WASHINGTON, March 17.—(AP)—"Local option" bill transferring to local boards full authority to raise rents or to remove controls was approved by the United States House of Representatives Tuesday night.

The measure continues rent controls for one year to April 1, 1948, wherever the 45 local boards are authorized by the various state governments to do so. Action came amid Democratic cries that such delegation of power to local boards is unconstitutional, that it is "an abdication of responsibility" and that it would allow local rent boards are "stacked" in favor of landlords. Some call the bill a "fraud." Republicans argued that home town people know best how to take care of local problems. The rent legislation now goes to a House-Senate conference committee to iron out differences. In passing a rent bill last month the Senate rejected the "local option" provision.

Brazil Trade Balance Shows Heavy Deficit

RIO DE JANEIRO, March 17.—(Reuters)—Gen. Eurico Dutra, president of Brazil, disclosed a deficit of 1,000,000,000 cruzeiros (about \$1,000,000,000) in the trade balance for 1947 when he opened the 1948 legislature here.

3 Children Drown

STOCKHOLM, Minn., March 17.—(AP)—Three children drowned Tuesday when they broke through ice on a creek. Recovered in 36 feet of water were the bodies of Donald Schell, five, Michael Daniel, five, and his sister, Margaret, three.



Lots of folks enjoy birds that fly. Although the birds show wonder why. Here, in Chicago, is the real reason. What can they do in freest season?

Operators, Mine Workers Reach No Decision On Boost

CP)—Operators and representatives of District 18, United Mine Workers of America (CIO) said after a meeting Tuesday no decision had been reached on miners' demands for a \$2-a-day wage increase and a boost of two cents a ton in the welfare fund contribution.

Neither side offered a compromise on the miners' demands. Operators asked that talks be postponed to a later, unspecified date, but did not disclose their reason.

Woodward's
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GOOD FOODS
at Woodward's...
FISH SUGGESTIONS

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| NORTHERN | | |
| PIKE FILLETS | lb. | 25c |
| DELICATE FLAVOR | | |
| FRESH WHOLE SOLE | lb. | 19c |
| FRESH LIGHT COD STEAK | lb. | 39c |
| PRICE REPERT | By the piece | 25c |
| MEDIUM HALIBUT | Steak | 43c |
| CHICKEN HALIBUT STEAK | lb. | 31c |
| RED COHOE SALMON STEAK | lb. | 45c |
| SMOKED | | |
| SMOKED FINNAN HADDIE | lb. | 33c |
| SMOKED WHITEFISH | lb. | 49c |
| SMOKED KIPPERED SNACKS | lb. | 33c |
| WHITEFISH | Fresh—Average weight 1/2 lb. | 25c |

GROCERIA VALUES

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| TOMATO OR VEGETABLE | 12 cans | \$1.20 |
| AYLMER SOUP | 1 can FREE | |
| BUNTS | 20-oz. | 21c |
| TOMATO SAUCE | 2-oz. | 25c |
| SPRAN FLAKES | 2-oz. | 25c |
| ALL BRANDS | 2-oz. | 25c |
| ROLLED OATS | 2-oz. | 25c |
| FRESH MILLED WHEAT GERM | 1 lb. | 10c |
| SOYA FLOUR | 1 lb. | 17c |
| RICE POLISHINGS | 1 lb. | 12c |
| BROWN RICE | 1 lb. | 15c |
| SOYA BEANS | 1 lb. | 9c |
| P-ZERTA | pkc. | 23c |
| A Jolly dessert for diabetes; 6 servings. | | |
| ROBINSON'S BARLEY | can | 45c |

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| BASTACK | 7 oz. | 38c |
| BONELESS CHICKEN | 32 oz. | 39c |
| FIG JAM | 28 oz. | 31c |
| CANNED TOMATOES | 28 oz. | 31c |
| SOAP POWDER | pkc. | 31c |
| MAPLE FLAKE FLAKES | Large pkc. | 23c |
| CHIPS OR OXYDOL | pkc. | 31c |
| CLEANING SOLVENT | Gallons | 79c |
| RYE KRISP WAFERS | 9-oz. | 29c |
| CROSBY & BLACKWELL'S | | |
| DATE AND NUT BREAD | can | 22c |
| "LITTLE CHIP" | | |
| ORANGE MARMALADE | 9-oz. | 30c |
| AYLMER FANCY #1 | 20 oz. | 19c |
| BROWN'S CHOICE #1 | 20 oz. | 15c |
| GREEN GARDEN PEAS | 20 oz. | 18c |
| FANCY JUMBO | 20 oz. | 16c |
| LIBBY'S—Bottled in U.S.A. | | |
| TOMATO CATSUP | 13 oz. | 32c |
| CHICORY | 1/2 lb. | 19c |
| CORNMEAL | 20 oz. | 22c |
| CORNMEAL | pkc. | 35c |
| MALTED MILK | 16 oz. | 69c |
| CRAX WAFERS | pkc. | 18c |

Woodward's Groceries, Lower Main Floor

Sask. Members Ask Fed. Oil Program

REGINA, March 17.—(CP)—Private members' motions calling for a \$80 monthly old age pension, reimposition of price controls and subsidies and federal assistance in a western oil-development program were passed Tuesday in the Saskatchewan legislature.

The legislature approved unanimously motions of A. P. Swallow (CCP-Yorkton) asking the federal

government to increase old-age pensions and W. S. Thair (CCP-Lundum) for subsidies on crude oil production and for subsidies on the production of the wheat and assure its development for the benefit of the whole Canadian people and not for a few rentier ownership groups in control of world oil prices.

By a 47-33 recorded vote it approved a resolution of James A. Diering (CCP-Warman) asking the prime minister to "reimpose consumer price controls and institute subsidies where necessary to guarantee to the farmer his just share of the national income and . . . protect

Sudan Transport Halted By Strike

KHARTOUM, March 17.—(Reuters)—Twenty-one thousand Sudan railway workers went on strike Tuesday demanding higher wages and improved conditions. Taxi drivers struck in sympathy, paralyzing transport. Workers in the Sudan irrigation and public works department also are on strike.

the consuming public against excessive prices for food."

U.S. Mine Strike Won't Hit Canada

OTTAWA, March 17.—(CP)—Strike of bituminous coal miners in the United States will have no effect on Canada unless it extends into the summer months or spreads into the anthracite field, government officials said Tuesday. Canada's supply position is good, and the Dominion has no worries about enough fuel for the current heating season, regardless of what happens in the U.S. officials said.

Russian Permitted To Remain in U.S.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—(AP)—House of Representatives voted Tuesday to let Leon Nikolavich Volkov, former Russian air force colonel remain in the United States permanently. The 34-year-old flier, entered the country from Canada at Burlington, Vt., in December 1945, and has been writing magazine articles. Volkov claimed he would be shot if returned to Russia.

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Threats, Abuse In Stormy Que. Sitting

QUEBEC, March 17.—(CP)—Crowds lingered in the corridors of the legislature buildings Tuesday night to watch the departure of legislative assembly members who exchanged shouts of "black-guard" and "coward" during a stormy evening sitting.

The climax came when Agriculture Minister Laurent Barre questioned a statement by Liberal Leader Adrien Gauthier that all farmers' sons who had asked for wartime exemption from military service had obtained it.

Mr. Barre said that one of his own sons remained troubled with a lung ailment as a result of military service and charged that one representative of the opposition drew money from conscription certificates of exemption.

Fernand Chiquette (L.-Montmagny) told the house the statement was "not worthy of a minister of the crown."

Mr. Chiquette criticized Youth Minister Paul Sauve for having described the Canadian war effort in a speech earlier in the session as "minimal" and Mr. Chiquette replied that the Montmagny member was a "little coward."

Premier Duplessis said Mr. Chiquette had a "mentality which he does not permit me to qualify" and the Montmagny member replied the premier a "descendant of a persecutor."

ROAD CONTRACTS
Mr. Chiquette charged the government had given "contract road contracts to Ontario contractors without tenders" and Roads Minister Antonio Talbot said he was prepared to resign if it was proved on a fact basis that the government had been guilty of such a practice.

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Everglades Hunt Returns No Clues

EVERGLADES, Fla., March 17.—(AP)—More than 30 planes and some 100 boats continued to scour the dense growth of the ten thousand islands Tuesday for fugitive Cuban Jockey Al Salder and his two companions missing since March 5 on a fishing trip.

Tragedy nearly struck twice when a large United States army helicopter, sliding in the crash, crashed into the thick mangrove swamps on an island in the Charbon river. The craft's three occupants escaped unhurt.

The search has been concentrated in this southwest corner of Florida since Saturday when the boat was found in the Salter, trailer C. H. Trotter and Don Fraser, Toronto manufacturer, were fishing.

An out belonging to the boat found Sunday was identified Tuesday. It was floating in a bay about 12 miles from Everglades.

A five-man combat team from Macdonald army air field, Tampa, Fla., searched the undergrowth in swampy bays. They plan to penetrate as many islands as possible in the next few days.

Bank Bandits Get \$2,000 in Loot

MONTREAL, March 17.—(CP)—Four gunmen Tuesday held up the Mason street branch of the Banque Canadienne Nationale and escaped with \$2,000 in small denomination bills and change.

The holdup men—obviously amateurs—said the bank manager drew up to the bank in Montreal's east end in an automobile and entered the building where they found seven customers and nine employees.

The leader of the robbers brandished his gun and told the customers, "don't worry, we won't hurt you—all we want is the money." With that he waved them into a vault and then slammed it shut.

The bandit made off in a waiting car.

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Marilyn McKay of Seattle, Wash., is the queen of the Palm Springs, Calif., Desert Circus. But there's no glittering jewel for her fair brow—where would you get jewels on the desert? Attention! Pat Boyer coronates Queen Marilyn with a crown of native desert shrubs.

Calgary Miner Gets Jail Term

LETHBRIDGE, March 17.—(CP)—Robert Leonard Stewart Hunt, 36-year-old Calgary miner, was sentenced to three months at hard labor in district court Tuesday. He pleaded guilty to a charge of breaking and entry and theft of \$407 worth of merchandise from a drug store in the Drumheller valley.

Judge J. H. Hissons ordered that the sentence date from Feb. 19, the date on which Hunt was committed for trial following a preliminary hearing at Drumheller.

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Disabled Veterans Make Comeback

Casualty Rehabilitation Report Shows Many Re-Established

By Douglas How
OTTAWA, March 17.—(CP)—Eddie Dunlop, who came back himself, Tuesday told a success story about 19,007 other seriously disabled war veterans who made a comeback.

The former infantry major, blinded in a grenade explosion overseas, appeared before the veterans' committee of the Commons as director of casualty rehabilitation for the Veterans Affairs department.

He reported that two out of three of the 29,534 seriously disabled veterans of the Second World War now were re-established in employment. In addition to the 19,007 at work, another 7,080 still were receiving treatment, training or other services.

ON DEBIT SIDE
On the debit side were 1,654 who were unemployed, 900 whose rehabilitation was unfeasible and 460 whose status was unknown, men who could not be traced.

Those back at work, including 80 per cent of the 600 amputees, and half the paraplegics, were everything from welders to watch-makers, carpenters to farmers, fishermen to photographers.

Employers generally had shown willingness to accept them, and had found the veterans "safe, efficient and reliable workers." The federal government also had absorbed a considerable number.

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Mrs. Morton Reports Conference Findings

Mrs. J. B. White Outlines

W Sponsored Nutrition Courses

Mrs. E. E. Morton and Mrs. J. P. White addressed members of Alberta Women's Institute at district No. 2 conference at Masonic Temple Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Morton, provincial president, told of her trip to Amsterdam last fall where she attended the conference of the Associated Country Women of the World. She said many of the group have now attained consultative status on United Nations Economic and Social Council and this "recognition opens up wider spheres of influence."

The purpose of the "recognition" Mrs. Morton said, is to draw women of all nations together in an effort to cultivate international understanding and friendship and to maintain the highest ideals of human life. She praised the spirit of co-operation evident in the conference.

Europe's main need is for food, Mrs. Morton went on. She suggested that branches continue to send parcels overseas "because we can not take peace and co-operation to people who starve as empty."

Mrs. Morton quoted Mrs. Raymond Kaye, president of the ACW in saying that the meeting took place

at "one of the greatest moments in human history when the world is at the turning point, when humanity must make a choice." To achieve unity in the world, both peace and action are needed, Mrs. Morton concluded.

Mrs. White spoke of the nutrition courses sponsored by the WI made possible by the Women's Extension service of the provincial department of agriculture.

Joyce Lewis, nutrition specialist, directs the nutrition workshop with the help of trained home economists, Mrs. White said. Leaders of different branches alternate in back to their communities to organize study groups.

Practical nutrition for the average family is the basis of the study, Mrs. White continued. The intensive course is aimed at securing maximum nutrients by proper selection of agriculture, cooking and serving of foods.

Following the presentation of awards members of the newly-elected 1948-49 students' council were introduced to the hostesses.

Frank McCreavey's orchestra was in attendance for the dance which followed the banquet.

Color Night, sponsored by the Block A Club, brings to a close yearly awards as Wilson trophy, presented to Jack Perry, outstanding athlete of the year.

Three more three-coach winning marbles were won by Mrs. E. B. Wilson will be in charge of arrangements.

Block "A" sweater awards went to Don Alkenhead, Robert Chase, Ken Cox, Mary Hays, Ken Moore, Gordon Redalick, Neil Loughnan, John Sloan, Don Moore, John Cameron, John Lyons, Ken Torrance, Sam Soltan, Bill McCarty, Bob Johnson, Ken Haskins, Bob Oberholzer, Gordon Anderson, and Andy Anderson.

Block "B" numerals were awarded to Jack Allen, Bill Inman, Jack Perry, Murray Smith, Rae Sutherland, Bill Price, Jim Merline, Bob Strubler and Ross Jeffries.

Winners of gold "A" rings for outstanding service in extracurricular activities were Bill Lindsay, Neville Lindsay, Dick Beddies, Jim Woods, Colin Murray, Tim Tyler, Ralph Smith and Alex Harper.

"Silver A" rings were awarded to Len Perry, George Harding, Edna Church Young People's Union.

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TCA Appointment

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PITTSBURGH, March 17.—(A—With eight out of every 10 a coal miners in the United Sta

QUESTIONS DODGED

Steel men dodged questions about how long they can keep going if the walkout continues. Most could keep going full-blast through a short work stoppage, but if it is a long-drawn-out affair, like the 59-day strike of 1946, most could save money by cutting back now.

In London last night said the new army set-up "differs radically" from the arms race in the United States. It said the new army will only one among the great powers to "place its armed forces really on a peacetime basis."

The "broadcaster, speaking in English, said the demobilization program furnished additional proof "of the peaceful aspirations of the

Europe

United Auto Workers (CIO) Tuesday filed a routine 60-day strike notice against Chrysler Corporation.

STRAND

ENDS TODAY

Sees Rare Bird
BANFF, March 17.—(CP)—Dan McGowan, Banff author and naturalist, reported Tuesday that he had seen an European starling here last Saturday—the first time the bird was seen here.

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PLANS AND MATRONS

SPOKANE, Wash., March 17.—(AP)—The proposed natural gas pipeline from the fields of Alberta

Ottawa Reception 

Short-Term American Averted Collapse in

modify the situation as a whole." [†] French version of the official re-

in 1928.

U.K. Presses Drive Sell Canada Goods

Intensive Effort Is Planned To Capture Market Here

By Stuart Underhill
LONDON, March 17.—(CP)—More British products will find their way to Canada in the next few months as manufacturers intensify their efforts to capture a market deprived of many American goods.

Concerned with the problem of future payments for Canadian footstuffs, the government is "encouraging" exporters to increase shipments to the Dominion. Since the government controls raw materials, its demands usually are heeded.

"More and more pressure is being put on supply departments to give facilities for the manufacture of Canadian exports," an official of the Board of Trade said in an interview.

"We are doing our best to see that Canadian orders get preference, especially where their essentiality is certified by the Canadian government."

SEND MORE WHISKY

Traditional, non-essential exports also will be increased. Scotch whisky manufacturers, for example, will be encouraged to send shipments worth £2,000,000 (\$8,000,000) to Canada this year, compared with £1,500,000 in 1947.

There probably will be larger supplies of automobiles, china, hardware, engineering equipment and tools. Special attention is being paid to textiles, with cotton manufacturers aiming at shipments at the rate of 100,000,000 yards annually by the end of 1948.

Manufacturers of scientific instruments also are trying to build up the Canadian market.

One difficult hurdle is that of prices. Canadian importers claim British prices too high. British manufacturers say Canadian price ceilings are "lower than world levels."

Steel is BUGABOO

Steel shortages are a constant bugaboo to manufacturers, although the Board of Trade claims that Canadian orders "are allocated all the steel that can be spared."

Another difficulty is the manufacturers' fear that the Canadian market will not endure, and that they will be pushed out if restrictions on United States imports are lifted again.

A. G. Bottomley, secretary of overseas trade, told the House of Commons that there is a disposition on the part of some exporters to regard the Canadian imports from the United Kingdom as temporary and artificial.

"We do not take that view. Canada is likely to remain short of American dollars for a considerable time and from our point of view the latter is a most desirable export market."

Screening Score
WASHINGTON, March 17.—(AP)—Federal Bureau of Investigation has cleared more than 7,000,000 federal workers through its loyalty inquiries, Director J. Edgar Hoover said Tuesday.

N.B. Budget Down

FREDERICTON, March 17.—(CP)—New Brunswick's budget for the 1948-49 fiscal year brought down by

[Province] Treasurer J. J. Hayes. Black tea accounted for only 20 per cent of all the tea imported revenue of \$23,744,174, exceeding by the United States in 1915; by estimated expenditure by \$20,400, 1911. It was 90 per cent.



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- bring comfort to ill and disabled veterans in hospital beds;
- teach water safety and swimming, thus preventing tragedy;
- maintain the Junior Red Cross, now 850,000 strong in Canada...
- teach First Aid... support important nutrition and home-maker services.

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PRaise for her sportsmanship and charm were accorded Barbara Ann Scott at the Lions club dinner tendered her at Toronto Saturday when she was presented with Lou E. Marah Memorial trophy by Charles Kling, with whom she is seen here. It was second time she received the trophy.

CABINET MINISTER SETS PRECEDENT

Chevrier Enters Senate And Little Fuss Results

By GEORGE RONALD

OTTAWA, March 17.—(CP)—Transport Minister Chevrier Tuesday became the first non-Senator cabinet minister to enter the Senate and discuss government legislation.

Precedent was set with a minimum of fanfare and no formal indication of recent criticism that his appearance would be "unconstitutional."

But, seconds before Mr. Chevrier appeared, Speaker J. H. King

split a brief renewal of objection by Senator John T. Hain, Progressive Conservative leader. Senator Hain said last week—when the government leader, Senator Wishart Robertson, announced he would invite Mr. Chevrier—that the minister would be "a stranger—and I'll ask that he be removed."

He rose Tuesday on a question of privilege to reiterate he protested the entry "of any person not a senator."

Speaker King said simply that the opposition leader was "entirely out of order" and it "surprised" him that Senator Hain should raise the point again.

Speaker was backing up a ruling he made Monday night—that a charge the Senate made in its rules last year enables a non-senator to enter the upper chamber.

Mr. Chevrier outlined proposed amendments to the Canada Shipping Act. They concerned certification of officers, shipping of seamen, steamship inspection, fatal marine accidents and international labor conventions.

Higher Electric Rates Necessary

CALGARY, March 17.—(CP)—Increased rates for electricity may have to be considered if operating and construction costs continue upward, D. A. Hanson, commercial superintendent of Calgary Power Ltd., said Tuesday at the Canadian Electrical Association conference.

Canadian power systems were loaded to the hilt and the load was growing. It was necessary that production system expand their plants immediately and rapidly.

Perilous Rescues Made In Ont. Flash Flood

By Vic Morris, Jr.

TORONTO, March 17.—(CP)—Dramatic and perilous rescue operations neared an end today after weary workers took heavy risks in an all-night attempt to evacuate some 30 persons from water-surrounded homes endangered by the worst spring floods in the history of suburban Long Branch.

Only a few families remained to be evacuated from their homes, some of these battered by huge chunks of ice. Councilman James Wallace of the town of 5,000 said some of them were older women who refused to leave their houses, despite the fact they had no food and their homes were waist-deep in water.

RESCUES COMPLETED
Rescues were completed by launch, by breeches buoy and by rope and ladder from many of the 115 summer cottages at the mouth of the raging Humberlake creek, which burst as ice jam north of the town Tuesday with a noise one resident said resembled the thunder-clap of a "10-ton block buster."

The councillor, in charge of rescue operations, said late last night that 15 families had been taken out while others reached safety, unaided. Three of the houses, believed unoccupied, were carried out into Lake Ontario.

The first flood which followed a sudden thaw and heavy rains, had counterpart in other portions of the 30-mile river which winds in a southeasterly direction some seven miles west of Toronto. At

drainage, damage was heavy as water flooded the business district.

J. A. Paul Heads Hereford Assn.

CALGARY, March 17.—(CP)—J. A. Paul of Okotoks, was elected president of the Alberta Hereford Association at a directors' meeting following the annual meeting 30th day night. He succeeds Miss Francis of Carleton Place, Ont.

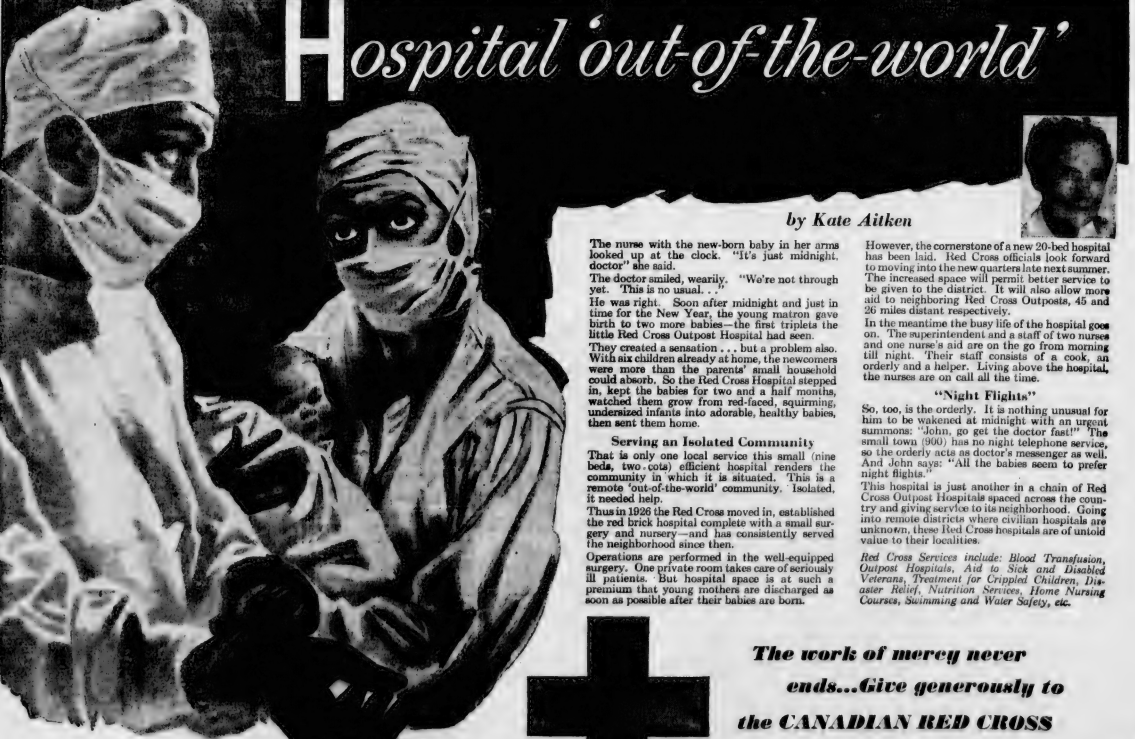
S. P. Gould of Rosalia, was elected vice-president and Leroy B. Bond of Irricana, was re-elected secretary-treasurer.

John Cross of Nanton suggested that a "racer" be called in the annual meeting between the three cattle breed associations in an address at the annual meeting. He said the three associations should work co-operatively, not competitively, in informal club work.

Aquatic Schools Will Be Held Here
CALGARY, March 17.—(CP)—Annual aquatic schools will be held in Edmonton from March 29 to April 3. J. A. MacLeod of Calgary, chairman of the swimming and water safety program of the Alberta division, Canadian Red Cross Society, announced Tuesday.

Special instructions will be given in all phases of aquatic activity, including boat handling, swimming and life saving.

Musical Director At Warners Dies
HOLLYWOOD, March 17.—(AP)—Leo F. Forstman, 56, musical director of Warner Brothers Studios for 22 years, died of a heart attack Tuesday. Previously he was a theatre orchestra leader here and is the native St. Louis.



by Kate Aitken

The nurse with the new-born baby in her arms looked at the clock. "It's just midnight, doctor," she said.

The doctor smiled, wearily. "We're not through yet. This is no usual..."

He was right. Soon after midnight and just in time for the New Year, the young matron gave birth to two more babies—the first triplets the little Red Cross Outpost Hospital had seen.

They created a sensation... but a problem also. With six children already at home, the newcomers were more than the parents' small household could absorb. So the Red Cross Hospital stepped in, kept the babies for two and a half months, watched them grow from red-faced, squirming, undisciplined infants into adorable, healthy babies, then sent them home.

Serving an Isolated Community
That is only one local service this small (nine beds, two cots) efficient hospital renders the community in which it is situated. This is a remote "out-of-the-world" community. Isolated, it needed help.

Thus in 1926 the Red Cross moved in, established the red brick hospital complex with a small surgery and nursery—and has consistently served the neighborhood since then.

Operations are performed in the well-equipped surgery. One private room in care of seriously ill patients. But hospital space is at such a premium that young mothers are discharged as soon as possible after their babies are born.

However, the cornerstones of a new 20-bed hospital has been laid. Red Cross officials look forward to moving into the new quarters late next summer. The increased space will permit better service to be given to the district. It will also allow more aid to neighboring Red Cross Outposts, 45 and 26 miles distant respectively.

In the meantime the busy life of the hospital goes on. The superintendent and a staff of two nurses and one nurse's aid are on the go from morning till night. Their staff consists of a cook, an orderly and a helper. Living above the hospital, the nurses are on call all the time.

"Night Fights"
So, too, is the orderly. It is nothing unusual for him to be awakened at midnight with an urgent summons: "John, go get the doctor fast!"

The small town (300) has no night telephone service, so the orderly acts as doctor's messenger as well. And John says: "All the babies seem to prefer night fights."

This hospital is just another in a chain of Red Cross Outpost Hospitals spaced across the country and giving service to its neighborhood. Going into remote districts where civilian hospitals are unknown, these Red Cross hospitals are of undoubted value to the localities.

Red Cross Services include: Blood Transfusion, Outpost Hospitals, Aid to the Sick, Seriously Ill Patients, Treatment for Crippled Children, Disaster Relief, Nutrition Services, Home Nursing Courses, Swimming and Water Safety, etc.

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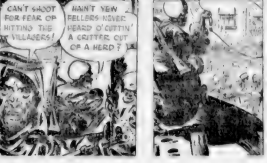
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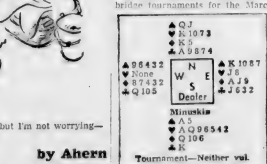
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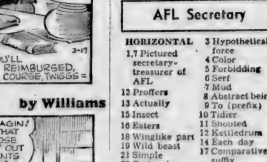
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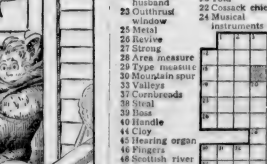
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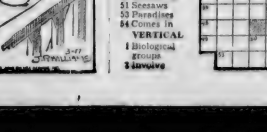
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AUTOS FOR SALE (Cont'd)
 1946 5-ton Mercury truck, fished frame, new and stock, low mileage, 1200 mi. F. Fankhauser, P. 21, Edmonton, Alta.
 1941 Nash Sedan—air conditioned.
 1940 Chevrolet sedan—radio, etc.
 1937 Pontiac—passenger coupe.
 1937 Ford Coach.
 1936 Mercury sedan, has been in accident. Will sell cheap.
 DAVES CAR SALES
 8901—111 Ave.

1947 Chev. 1-ton panel delivery.
 1946 Plymouth sedan.
 1946 Dodge sedan.
 1946 International 1-ton truck.
 1946 Plymouth coupe, 2000.
 1946 Plymouth coupe, 1937.
 1946 Chevrolet coupe.
 1946 International 1-ton truck.
 1947 Chev. 1-ton pickup, 1939.

Stan Reynolds

Ph. 502 Wetaaktwin
 1941 Pontiac Coupe, 2 passenger.
 1940 Willys Sedan.
 1940 1-ton International Truck.
 1940 1-ton Chevrolet Truck.

WHITE ROSE SERVICE

Corner 111 St. & 85 St.
 1946 OLDSMOBILE 6 motor complete
 1946 Chevrolet. Approximately
 4000 miles. Ideal for power plant
 1946 Oldsmobile. 1947 Oldsmobile.
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UNITY SERVICE GARAGE

For better repair service
 1946 Oldsmobile. 1947 Oldsmobile.
 1946 Oldsmobile. 1947 Oldsmobile.

TRAY KALL MOTORS

Wish to dispose of my 1947 Delco
 1947 Delco. 1948 Delco. 1949 Delco.
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USED CAR APPRAISALS

1946 Chevrolet Fleetline Sedan.
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THE AUTOMAT

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Coast Man Studying Braund Cancer Cure

By Leslie Brodie
 SYDNEY, Australia, March 17.—(CP)—Harold A. Evans, 39-year-old decorating contractor of 2260 W. 41st street Vancouver, today began studying under John Braund the 75-year-old Sydney layman's methods of treating cancer.

Evans, himself a cancer sufferer, arrived at air from Canada March 14 to undergo treatment by Braund after Canadian doctors pronounced his case incurable. Braund claims he has discovered a cure for the disease. His methods are currently under study by a New South Wales government commission.

Evans said in an interview at Braund's home today that he would return to Canada within three months to treat cancer sufferers in the Dominion and teach others how to cure the disease.

"I'm confident I'll be cured myself and if I can master Braund's methods I'll do my best to pass my knowledge on to others," he said. Braund got another assistant to help him. H. E. Carr, a friend, arrived to take over much of the work previously done by Braund and his wife.

HEALTH IMPROVEMENT

Mrs. Anne Northing and Mrs. Ruth McIntyre, also of Vancouver, said today their treatment still is in the early stages and it is too soon to say whether they are getting any benefit from the Braund treatment. But they added that the hot climate, fresh fruit and salads after the cold Canadian winter has contributed to a general improvement in their health.

Most cancer doctors set up by the New South Wales government to investigate the worth of Braund's methods expected to be in a position to announce their findings "within a few weeks." Braund is now collecting subscriptions from people to set up a private clinic.

Berserk Slayer Goes to Hospital

NEW YORK, March 17.—(AP)—Marko L. Markovich was committed to a hospital today after shooting a woman in the back of the head with a .38 Smith & Wesson revolver.

Markovich, 46, Serbian-born former Brooklyn street-tormentor was taken to a hospital today after being shot in the back of the head by a woman. He was taken to a hospital today after being shot in the back of the head by a woman.

Markovich was charged with first degree murder. He was taken to a hospital today after being shot in the back of the head by a woman. He was taken to a hospital today after being shot in the back of the head by a woman.

Attention Farmers Auction Sale

Town of Morinville
 100 North of Edmonton
 MONDAY, MARCH 29
 20 of the Finest Tractors Ever Offered at an Auction Sale

At the end of the 14-hour meeting, the government spokesman reported only that "little progress" had been made.

No statements came from the representatives of the unions involved in the two-week-old strike, but it was evident that the government's offer of contracts on terms acceptable to the three striking unions.

But the outcome of Tuesday's meeting made it clear the owners side in the dispute, if the labor department would set up a committee to investigate the strike-bound vessels started moving.

Striking Waitresses Return to Jobs

CALGARY, March 17.—(CP)—Five of the 11 striking waitresses in Calgary returned to work today and others are expected to return by the end of the week.

The waitresses and two officials of the Restaurant and Hotel Employees Union will appear in police court Friday to face charges of disobeying a court order restraining them from picketing.

Rebel Stronghold Bombed From Air

SAN JOSE, Costa Rica, March 17.—(AP)—The government announced today that a 25-year-old rebel stronghold in the mountains of Costa Rica was being bombed from the air.

The government also said it had destroyed three towns which it described as key points in Figueira's defense.

Polish Veteran Killed at Calgary

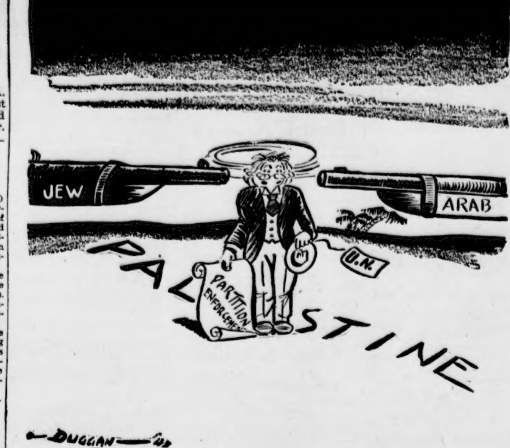
CALGARY, March 17.—(CP)—Body of a 25-year-old Polish war veteran was found severed on the Canadian Pacific Railroad tracks near downtown Calgary Tuesday. The man was identified as Jan Dabrowski, an immigrant who came to Canada in May, 1947. He had been working as a laborer.

3,000 Homeless

BARRANQUILLA, Colombia, March 17.—(AP)—Reports reaching here from the city of Barranquilla last night said 3,000 persons had been made homeless there by a 12-foot high wave.

German Jailed

MUNICH, March 17.—(AP)—Two Germans caught with eight gallons of heavy water—used by the atomic energy commission—were convicted and sentenced to prison by a United States military government court.



COMB-OUT OF REDS CAUSES UNEASINESS

By Fraser Wighton
 LONDON, March 17.—(Reuters)—Uneasiness that the government's comb-out of Communists and Fascists from civil service departments might involve political persecution was expressed by a number of rank-and-file members of Parliament at a meeting of the 400-strong parliamentary Labour party today. It was reliably understood.

West Europe Treaty Signed

BRUSSELS, March 17.—(Reuters)—A 50-year treaty of economic co-operation and military aid was signed today by representatives of five Western European countries—Belgium, France, Luxembourg, the Netherlands and Britain. Other states may accede to it on agreed conditions.

Designed "to fortify and preserve the principles of democracy, personal freedom and political liberty, the rule of law and constitutional government," the treaty provides that in an armed attack in Europe should be made on any one party to the treaty, the others will act in accordance with article 15 of the United Nations Charter and military and other aid and assistance.

Co-Op Business Separated From Other Activities

Separation of cooperative business from other business and social functions of United Farmers of America will be completed with legislation approved by the legislature today. The bill, which was introduced by the premier of Alberta and G. E. Church, states that the United Farmers of America shall be a separate legal entity, and shall be a separate legal entity, and shall be a separate legal entity.

Baron Mannheim Not To Be Exile

STOCKHOLM, March 17.—(AP)—Baron Gustaf Mannheim, arrived from Finland today and declared: "I am going abroad as an exile." He is being treated for a heart ailment.

ON YOUR DIAL

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| Stock | Price | Change | Volume |
|-------------------------|-------|--------|---------|
| Alcan | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Imperial | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of Montreal | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of Toronto | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of Nova Scotia | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Brunswick | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New South Wales | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Zealand | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Guinea | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Caledonia | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Hebrides | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Ireland | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Jersey | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Mexico | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New York | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Zealand | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Guinea | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Caledonia | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Hebrides | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Ireland | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Jersey | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Mexico | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New York | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |

Alberta Oils

(By C. & M. & N. Ltd.)

| Stock | Price | Change | Volume |
|-------------------------|-------|--------|---------|
| Alcan | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Imperial | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of Montreal | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of Toronto | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of Nova Scotia | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Brunswick | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New South Wales | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Zealand | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Guinea | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Caledonia | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Hebrides | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Ireland | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Jersey | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Mexico | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New York | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Zealand | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Guinea | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Caledonia | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Hebrides | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Ireland | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Jersey | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Mexico | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New York | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |

New York Stocks

(By James Richardson & Sons)

| Stock | Price | Change | Volume |
|-------------------------|-------|--------|---------|
| Alcan | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Imperial | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of Montreal | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of Toronto | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of Nova Scotia | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Brunswick | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New South Wales | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Zealand | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Guinea | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Caledonia | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Hebrides | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Ireland | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Jersey | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Mexico | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New York | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Zealand | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Guinea | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Caledonia | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Hebrides | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Ireland | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Jersey | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Mexico | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New York | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |

Unlisted Stocks

(By James Richardson & Sons)

| Stock | Price | Change | Volume |
|-------------------------|-------|--------|---------|
| Alcan | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Imperial | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of Montreal | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of Toronto | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of Nova Scotia | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Brunswick | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New South Wales | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Zealand | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Guinea | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Caledonia | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Hebrides | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Ireland | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Jersey | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Mexico | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New York | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Zealand | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Guinea | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Caledonia | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Hebrides | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Ireland | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Jersey | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New Mexico | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |
| Bank of New York | 10.00 | +0.10 | 100,000 |

Dow Jones Averages

(By James Richardson & Sons)

| Index | Value | Change |
|-------------------------|--------|--------|
| Dow Jones Industrial | 100.00 | +0.10 |
| Dow Jones Average | 100.00 | +0.10 |
| Dow Jones Composite | 100.00 | +0.10 |
| Dow Jones Energy | 100.00 | +0.10 |
| Dow Jones Chemical | 100.00 | +0.10 |
| Dow Jones Textile | 100.00 | +0.10 |
| Dow Jones Food | 100.00 | +0.10 |
| Dow Jones Paper | 100.00 | +0.10 |
| Dow Jones Steel | 100.00 | +0.10 |
| Dow Jones Rubber | 100.00 | +0.10 |
| Dow Jones Glass | 100.00 | +0.10 |
| Dow Jones Lumber | 100.00 | +0.10 |
| Dow Jones Coal | 100.00 | +0.10 |
| Dow Jones Oil | 100.00 | +0.10 |
| Dow Jones Gas | 100.00 | +0.10 |
| Dow Jones Electric | 100.00 | +0.10 |
| Dow Jones Telephone | 100.00 | +0.10 |
| Dow Jones Railroad | 100.00 | +0.10 |
| Dow Jones Shipbuilding | 100.00 | +0.10 |
| Dow Jones Aircraft | 100.00 | +0.10 |
| Dow Jones Automobile | 100.00 | +0.10 |
| Dow Jones Furniture | 100.00 | +0.10 |
| Dow Jones Miscellaneous | 100.00 | +0.10 |

Patella Oil Co.

Shareholders of Patella Oil Co. Ltd. at a special meeting reported a re-organization whereby present capital will be reduced to give shareholders one share for each 4,000 shares presently held. The capital will then be increased to \$1,000,000 and the name changed to New Patella Oil Co. Ltd.

Speedsters Draw Fines in Court

Three speedsters motor cars were fined in court Wednesday. The first, a 1935 Buick, was fined \$100 for exceeding 30 miles per hour. The second, a 1936 Ford, was fined \$100 for exceeding 30 miles per hour. The third, a 1937 Chevrolet, was fined \$100 for exceeding 30 miles per hour.

Investors' Future for Golds

Recent Declines Seem to Deny Improved Position of Industry

By The Canadian Press

Investors this week ignored mounting indications of a brighter future for gold and a half trading sessions they unloaded sufficient quantities of stocks to force prices down to the lowest level since Sept. 19, 1946, shortly after the Canadian dollar was brought to par with the United States dollar.

Gold prices declined more than three points on Tuesday, a decline of 1932 from the level of the previous Tuesday. This week's decline followed a similar decline of 1932 from the level of the previous Tuesday. This week's decline followed a similar decline of 1932 from the level of the previous Tuesday.

Live Stock

EDMONTON, March 17.—Total receipts: Cattle 335, calves 47, hogs 1,000, sheep 1,000.

Grain Prices

EDMONTON, March 17.—Wheat, No. 1, 1.25; No. 2, 1.20; No. 3, 1.15; No. 4, 1.10; No. 5, 1.05; No. 6, 1.00; No. 7, 0.95; No. 8, 0.90; No. 9, 0.85; No. 10, 0.80; No. 11, 0.75; No. 12, 0.70; No. 13, 0.65; No. 14, 0.60; No. 15, 0.55; No. 16, 0.50; No. 17, 0.45; No. 18, 0.40; No. 19, 0.35; No. 20, 0.30; No. 21, 0.25; No. 22, 0.20; No. 23, 0.15; No. 24, 0.10; No. 25, 0.05; No. 26, 0.00; No. 27, 0.00; No. 28, 0.00; No. 29, 0.00; No. 30, 0.00; No. 31, 0.00; No. 32, 0.00; No. 33, 0.00; No. 34, 0.00; No. 35, 0.00; No. 36, 0.00; No. 37, 0.00; No. 38, 0.00; No. 39, 0.00; No. 40, 0.00; No. 41, 0.00; No. 42, 0.00; No. 43, 0.00; No. 44, 0.00; No. 45, 0.00; No. 46, 0.00; No. 47, 0.00; No. 48, 0.00; No. 49, 0.00; No. 50, 0.00; No. 51, 0.00; No. 52, 0.00; No. 53, 0.00; No. 54, 0.00; No. 55, 0.00; No. 56, 0.00; No. 57, 0.00; No. 58, 0.00; No. 59, 0.00; No. 60, 0.00; No. 61, 0.00; No. 62, 0.00; No. 63, 0.00; No. 64, 0.00; No. 65, 0.00; No. 66, 0.00; No. 67, 0.00; No. 68, 0.00; No. 69, 0.00; No. 70, 0.00; No. 71, 0.00; 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The economical way to make pyjamas and night wear for all the family! Choose this durable quality, pastel striped flannelette. Approx. 36" wide. YARD.

45c

All Wool Bedthrows

Soft colors—rose with green, gold or blue; plain green, gold, rose or blue in all wool fluffily napped blankets with rich rayon satin bound ends. Approx. 60 x 84 to 70 x 84" size. EACH.

\$7.95 to \$11.95

Auto Rugs in Plaids

All wool in heavy quality, finished with fringed ends. Choice of several patterns in sizes from approx. 40x60 to 58 x 70". EACH.

\$6.95 to \$8.95



Canadian Made All Wool Blankets

There's long life ahead of these firm, good weight blankets! White color with borders in soft rose and green, single whipped ends. About 70 x 84", PAIR.

\$15.95

Bright Tea Towels

Cream cotton of fine weave with borders in bright green, gold, blue or red. About 11x28", economically priced.

3 for 95c

Look at the Low Price on TERRY TOWELS

Good quality, good colors, yet a very low price! The group includes face, hand and bath sizes in white, pastel shades, overalls made of absorbent cotton terry. PAIR.

85c to \$1.00

Linen and Cotton Tea Towels

An absorbent texture in an attractive looking towel! Cream colored with red or green border, hemmed ends. About 22 x 32". EACH.

55c

EATON'S Staples Section, Main Floor, North

Gay Green Wedgies



New lot of "Baby Doll" wedgies in green kid leather with a smooth, shiny finish. Sizes 4 1/2 to 9 collectively in AA and B widths. PAIR.

\$6.50

Dress Pumps



Perforated bow highlights this Cuban heel dress pump! Soft calf leather in black or medium brown. Sizes 6 to 9 in AA and B widths. PAIR.

\$12.75

Sturdy Oxfords



with Arch Support Features Black kid leather in a neat looking oxford. Low Cuban heel! Sizes 5 to 10 in A to EE widths collectively. PAIR.

\$10.00

EATON'S Footwear, Main Floor, South

For Your Easter Table We Have

Waxed Flowers and Centrepiece Novelties



LONG STEMMED TULIPS, each

10c

LONG STEMMED DAFFODILS, each

10c

LONG STEMMED APPLE BLOSSOMS, each

10c

LONG STEMMED WILD ROSE SPRAY, each

29c

SPRAY OF LARGE LILY with VIOLETS, green fern, each

29c

SPRAY OF ROSES AND VIOLETS, green leaves, each

29c

NOVELTY CANDLES, about 2" high. Duck, each

35c

EGG, each

35c

EASTER BUNNY, each

49c

EATON'S Chinaware, Lower Floor, West



Black Handkerchiefs with Petit Point Embroidery

Dainty gift handkerchiefs in black cotton lawn, with red Petit Point embroidery hand rolled hem. About 12" square. EACH.

\$1.50

Plain Colors in Rayon Sheer Scarfs

Soft rayon sheer in pink, gold or blue, with double satin stripes forming border effect. About 12 x 44". EACH.

\$1.00

EATON'S Fashion Accessories, Main Floor, Centre Aisle

English Pottery Easter Bunny Ornaments



In softly colored green, or white. LARGE RABBIT (sketched) in sitting position, about 6" tall. MEDIUM SIZED RABBIT in sitting position. Green. About 4 1/2" tall.

Same in white. PAIRS OF RABBITS (sketched) in green only, about 3 1/2" tall, two different poses.

PAIR **\$1.58**

Retail Tax 25% Extra

EATON'S Chinaware, Lower Floor, West

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Care for your precious skin as faithfully as you brush your teeth!

Dorothy Gray BASIC TREATMENT

For dry skin: Cleanse with Dorothy Gray Dry-Skin Cleanser... softens as it cleanses. \$1.25, \$2.50, \$4.50. Follow with refreshing, non-drying Orange Flower Skin Lotion. \$1.10, \$2.25. Use richly lubricating Special Dry-Skin Moisture as your night cream. \$2.50, \$4.50. We also have specialized Dorothy Gray preparations for care of oily skin and normal skin.



EATON'S Toiletries, Main Floor, East

Assorted Cushions

Rectangular, Circular HEART SHAPES

Pluffy cotton filling, coverings in wine, green, yellow, blue or rose colored rayon satins, many trimmed with rayon cord.

\$2.50 to \$3.95

Also better cushions. EACH **\$6.95**

Casserroles

Pierced silverplate shell with oven-resistant glass liner and lid about 5 1/2" in diameter.

\$5.95

Retail Tax 25% extra on Casseroles

Better Handbags

in a choice of Leathers

Calf, morocco grain and pigskin in beautifully styled bags... smaller types for dress wear, larger, useful sizes to carry to work and for shopping... the selection is splendid, and the colors include black, brown, blue, green, grey and red. Nicely finished and fitted interiors. EACH.

\$17.40 to \$29.50

Available on the convenient EATON BUDGET PLAN

EATON'S Handbags, Main Floor, East

Work Baskets

Made by the Canadian Indians from sweet grass and colored strips of bawood! A large assortment of colors. Containers inside will hold needles, thread and thread.

Cone-shaped. About 8" tall. EACH **\$2.50**



Expansion Bracelets

One of these attractive bracelets will add new beauty to your wrist! Men's size, yellow top on stainless steel back, with 14" ends. EACH.

\$4.00

Retail Tax 25% Extra on Bracelets

EATON'S Neckties, Jewelry, Handbags and Silverplate, Main Floor, East

New "Under Coverage" for the "New Look"



This Spring's Fashions

History is repeating itself! Camisoles and Pettiskirts, an old fashion following a new approach, shown in wonderful assortment, delightful for Spring wear! PETTISKIRTS in rayon tulle, crepe, plaids, checks, plain with ornamental trim or striped finishes. Sizes 24 to 28 waist.

\$2.50 to \$11.95

CAMISOLE of white rayon crepe enchantingly trimmed with wide eyelid or crisp organza lace! Sizes small, medium and large. EACH.

\$2.95

EATON'S Lingerie, Second Floor, East